

ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY PARISH

*“Behold, God’s dwelling is with the human race.”*

*— Revelation 21:3*



April 24, 2016

# Welcome

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## Let Us Choose To Love

Jesus teaches us in today's Gospel from John, "This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." This is Jesus' commandment; it is easier said than lived. We know we are created from love, for love and to love; created in the very image and likeness of God, who is Love. Yet we often struggle to make the decision to love. In the moment our will is challenged, the decision to love can shift to a decision to judge, a decision to fear, a decision to resent.

Even though I have been through it thousands of times, it is still difficult to choose love sometimes. But here is the Good News: Love always works. The corollary is also true: nothing else works. Judgment, resentment, gossip, fear, greed and power never bring healing, peace, freedom or joy. I know this because I know exactly how I feel when I judge my neighbor. I know exactly how I feel when I listen to idle gossip about another child of God. I know exactly how I feel when I defend myself at the expense of someone else's feelings. And I know exactly how I feel when I reach out in love for my neighbor. I know exactly how I feel when I Joy someone at Starbucks. I know exactly how I feel when I take 20 minutes to pray in silence. I know exactly how I feel when I offer a word of encouragement. Love wins.

Jesus knows the path of life is difficult; he knows the decision to love involves sacrifice. Jesus offered his life on the cross as a pattern for us. Jesus also knows the only way to freedom, to peace, to hope, to life...is love. So even though it is difficult, let us choose love. Every act of love is a surrender of my will to the will of the one who created me only for love. Eventually our will is conformed to His, our heart is conformed to His; we are transformed into the very glory of God. Then all who see us will know we are God's children now, by the love we have for one another.

"Love one another as  
I have loved you."  
John 13:12





*May you find Christ here . . .  
May you bring Christ to the world.*

On April 5<sup>th</sup> four parishioners attended the Jefferson City Capitol for a day of prayer, information on Missouri House and Senate investigative hearings of Planned Parenthood. An inspections bill was formulated to include:

1. At least one required annual inspection of all abortion clinics,
2. Prohibition of selling baby parts, and
3. Reporting requirements of all aborted babies. One participant remarked, "Together we stand strong to speak for prolife citizens across our state. Today we are here to show our Legislators we stand for Life from conception to natural death."



## New Member Registration

If you are attending Mass here but have not yet formally registered, we invite you to do so. So that we might welcome you personally, we invite you to attend noon Mass, Sunday, May 1, is new member registration. Begins at noon Mass and continues in Hall C from 1:00pm—1:45pm

## This Week At Assumption

### Sunday, April 24

**Annual Catholic Appeal Weekend**  
After All Masses—Narthex

#### RCIA

8:00am Hall C

#### Sunday Pre School

10:00am School

#### Baptism

1:15pm Church

### Monday, April 25

#### CRHP Women

6:30pm Room D & E

#### CRHP Men

7:00pm Meyer Room

### Tuesday, April 26

#### Eucharistic Adoration

9:00am - 6:30pm Chapel

#### PSR

6:00pm School

#### PHD/Benediction

6:30pm Chapel

### Wednesday, April 27

#### MOPS

9:15am Parish Center

#### PSR

6:00pm School

#### Extreme Teen

6:00pm Hall C

#### RCIA Pre Meeting

7:00pm Room D & E

#### St. Vincent DePaul

7:00pm Meyer Room

### Thursday, April 28

**24/7 Amen—Men's Ministry**

7:00pm Hall A

#### Life in The Spirit

7:00pm Hall C

### Friday, April 29

**Youth Group Lock in**

6:30pm Gym

#### Audrey Assad Concert

7:00pm Church

### Saturday, April 30

**Children's Liturgy of the Word**

5:00pm Hall C

**Annual Catholic Appeal Weekend**

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### Sunday, May 1

**Annual Catholic Appeal Weekend**

After All Masses—Narthex

#### Hospitality Sunday

All Masses Hall A/B

#### RCIA

8:00am Hall C

#### Sunday Pre School

10:00am School

#### New Member Registration

Noon Mass

#### Baptism

1:15pm Church

## Looking for a Meaningful Gift for Mother's Day

Beautiful hand-painted Mother's Day cards will be available for free, with your donation to Birthright. Your card will let mom know that you are grateful for the life she gave to you and that you support the life-giving work of Birthright. Our Respect Life Apostolate volunteers will be downstairs after all Masses next weekend, Apr 30/May 1st distributing cards for as long as supplies last.

PRAYER • PARTICIPATION • GENEROSITY

S T E W A R D S H I P

*"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another." JOHN 13:34*

It is easy to love someone when they love us back. But it takes courage to love someone when we feel unappreciated, used or feel our opinion doesn't matter. It takes courage to "love my neighbor" when he may be someone I don't like, someone I don't know or someone who doesn't look like me.



ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. LOUIS

### **April 23/24, 2016 - Fifth Sunday of Easter**

*Live the Great Commandment*

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus challenges his followers, "As I have loved you, so you also should love one another" (John 13:34). This great commandment of love lies at the heart of our Catholic faith. Each of us is called to love others – especially those in need – as God loves us.

The *Annual Catholic Appeal* is an important way to witness the love of God to others in our community. Through the many ministries, agencies and apostolates supported by the *Appeal*, we reach out to those in need, extending the love and mercy of Jesus to the least among us.

During this Easter season, prayerfully consider making a gift to the *Annual Catholic Appeal*. Your gift will ensure that others receive Christ's healing love so that "all will know that you are my disciples" (John 13:35).

**Stop by the tables on the following weekends to complete your pledge card.**

**April 23-24**

**April 30-May 1**

It is not necessary to make a payment when you complete your pledge card. Payment options include monthly or quarterly plans, automatic withdrawals and credit cards. If your employer participates in Matching Gifts, please complete the back of the pledge card. Volunteers can answer your questions at the tables or email Steve & Marcia Schmitz at [schmitz80@gmail.com](mailto:schmitz80@gmail.com) or call 314-422-0416.

### **Have You Been Confirmed?**

If you have received the sacrament of First Communion but have not yet received Confirmation call Fr. Mitch at 636-240-3721, ext. 242 and you can have a conversation with him to determine eligibility. Confirmation is taking place on Pentecost Sunday.

### **Marriage Encounter Walk in the Park**

Attention married couples - enjoy a 'date day' and "Walk in the Park". Together, the two of you walk in a nature setting and will remember several of your greatest times together beginning from when you were dating until now. A few questions will be provided for your discussion along the walk.

Sunday, May 1, a walk of 1 1/2 miles begins with your arrival between 1:00PM and 2:00PM at Powder Valley Nature Center, 11715 Cragwold Road, St. Louis, MO 63122 (off Geyer Road near West Watson Road).

The married couple 'Walk in the Park' is sponsored by the couples of Gateway Worldwide Marriage Encounter and is free of charge. Please register your attendance by sending your names to Joe and Laurie Coultrip: [joe.coultrip@gmail.com](mailto:joe.coultrip@gmail.com). We look forward to seeing you on a day you will remember forever.

### **Hospitality Sunday**

Join us Today, Sunday, May 1, for Hospitality Sunday after all Masses in Hall A/B and invite a friend to Mass.

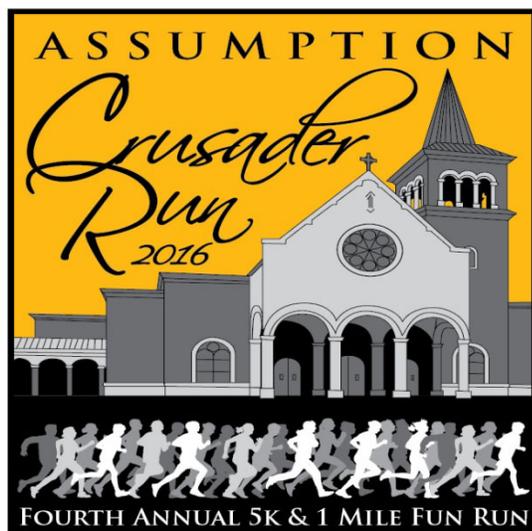


**Register your family now for a "farm-tastic" time at <http://www.assumptionvbs.com/>**

Registration is open for all participants, CITs, and adult volunteers through April 30, 2016.

Assumption's Vacation Bible School will run June 13-17. The program begins at 9 a.m. and runs daily until noon. \$35 for the first participant, \$25 for each additional sibling(s) going into grades Pre-K 4 through 5<sup>th</sup> for the 2016-2017 school year. Registration fees include a t-shirt to be worn each day of VBS. Catechists-In-Training (CIT youth volunteers) must be 6<sup>th</sup> grade or older for the 2016-2017 school year. All CITs must attend a training class prior to VBS week in order to volunteer. Please watch the bulletin and your email address provided at registration for scheduled dates and additional info.

Adults- we need you! We are looking for teachers and team leaders to help the week of VBS. We also need helping hands to prepare crafts, decorations, and more over the months leading up to our program. To find out where you can help out please email [vbsassumption@gmail.com](mailto:vbsassumption@gmail.com) or call 636-240-1020.



## Assumption 5k & 1 Mile Fun Run

September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016

Please join us for the 4th annual Assumption Crusader 5k or 1 mile fun run on Saturday September 17<sup>th</sup>. The 5K starts at the Assumption School Parking lot at **8:00 am**, the 1 Mile Fun Run starts at **9:00 am**. The race benefits Assumption School and Church. 5K race is timed. Awards for all finishers 10 and under and winners of the 5K.

All participants will receive a dri-fit shirt, food, beverages, and beer after the race, plus your runner bag with goodies. **Sign up early and save!** Sign up at: <http://www.fleetfeetstlouis.com/racing/highlighted-races/crusader-run>

The Crusader Run offers something for everyone, all ages and all fitness levels!

If you are not a runner or walker you can still take part, volunteers are needed, email us at [ofallonmo@snapfitness.com](mailto:ofallonmo@snapfitness.com) to help out.

### Entry Fees

5K

\$25 on or before August 20<sup>th</sup>, \$30 after August 20<sup>th</sup>

1 Mile Fun Run

\$15 on or before August 20<sup>th</sup>, \$20 after August 20<sup>th</sup>

### Jubilee Year of Mercy

"I give you a new commandment: love one another. As I have loved you, so you also should love one another. This is how all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." Jn 13:34-35

*Mercy*

While Lent was a penitential season, the Easter season (which lasts longer than the Lenten season!) reminds us of the joy we have in the merciful love of God. The most obvious example of God's merciful love was shown to us in the Paschal Mystery of Christ. The culmination of this Paschal Mystery, following the suffering and Death of Christ, is his Resurrection, which is our assurance that Christ triumphs over death. Not only do we rejoice in this eternal victory, we also rejoice that, through our faith and participation in the sacraments, we can share in Christ's triumph as God extends his salvific mercy toward us. The Jubilee of Mercy reminds us that God "delights in mercy" (Mi 7:18), and so should we!

**Action:** At the end of the day, spend some time in reflection, on your own or with others, rejoicing in the love and mercy that was shown to you by God and others today. Even if you had a rough day, where did you see God's love present in your life?



**Prayer: I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God.** \_PS 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13

The LORD is gracious and merciful,  
slow to anger and of great kindness.  
The LORD is good to all  
and compassionate toward all his works.

Let all your works give you thanks, O LORD,  
and let your faithful ones bless you.  
Let them discourse of the glory of your kingdom  
and speak of your might.

Let them make known your might to the children of Adam,  
and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.  
Your kingdom is a kingdom for all ages,  
and your dominion endures through all generations.  
Alleluia!

**Mass Intentions**

**Sunday, April 24**

8:00am Victor Bauer  
 10:00am Cletus Swagman  
 12:00pm People of the Parish

**Monday, April 25**

6:30am William & Mary E. Huber  
 8:00am Ed Schoenherr

**Tuesday, April 26**

6:30am Wilbert Schulte  
 8:00am Tony Sgroi

**Wednesday, April 27**

6:30am Vocations  
 8:00am Bob Capstick

**Thursday, April 28**

6:30am Living and Deceased Parents  
 and Relatives of Sisters  
 8:00am David Shufeldt

**Friday, April 29**

6:30am Trudy Starke  
 8:00am Raymond Waidmann

**Saturday, April 30**

9:00am Deceased Sisters of the Most  
 Precious Blood  
 5:00pm Grumich & Nikonowicz  
 Families

**Sunday, May 1**

8:00am Kak Eisenbath  
 10:00am Floyd Cotton  
 12:00pm People of the Parish

*Please pray for the repose  
 of the soul of:*



Patricia Poundstone  
 Mother of Mary Miller

Georgian Bochantin  
 Sister of Mary Scholten

Jerome Daues  
 Husband of Lois Daues

**Server Schedule**

**Saturday, April 30**

5:00pm Hannah Augustin  
 Hailey Augustin  
 Rebecca Gentry

**Sunday, May 1**

8:00am Pricila Fuentes  
 Nate Voshen  
 Braeden Penrod  
 10:00am Alyssa Wright  
 Abby Wright  
 MacKenzie Darrah  
 12:00pm Hunter Bunge  
 Nick Bunge  
 Aidan Kelley

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**April 25 — May 1**

**Mon:** 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7,  
 16-17; Mk 16:15-20  
**Tues:** Acts 14:19-28; Ps 145:10-13ab,  
 21; Jn 14:27-31a  
**Wed:** Acts 15:1-6; Ps 122:1-5; Jn  
 15:1-8  
**Thu:** Acts 15:7-21; Ps 96:1-3, 10;  
 Jn 15:9-11  
**Fri:** Acts 15:22-31; Ps 57:8-10, 12;  
 Jn 15:12-17  
**Sat:** Acts 16:1-10; Ps 100:1b-3, 5;  
 Jn 15:18-21  
**Sun:** Acts 15:1-2, 22-29; Ps 67:2-3,  
 5-6, 8; Rv 21:10-14, 22-23;  
 Jn 14:23-29

**Around Town**

KC Ladies Auxiliary, Cottleville, Fashion Show, Sun. May 1. Register between now and May 1. Elaine Kistner, 636-926-2869 or 314-452-3012

Immaculate Conception Parish in Augusta, All You Can Eat Breakfast, Apr 24, 8am till Noon. \$8 Adults, \$3 age 6-12

**You Are Invited**

to a holy hour in our chapel at St. Paul every Thursday at 7pm. We are storming heaven with prayers for a President and Supreme Court judge who will uphold God's commandments. Everyone is invited and welcome to come and spend an hour in **God's awesome presence.**

**BANNS OF MATRIMONY**



I Stacey Gruenberg  
 Justin Meyer

II Nikki Vandeven &  
 Kyle Plassmeyer

Thank you for your generous support of our mission to bring Christ to the world. We are sharers in Mary's mission, seeking only to be disciples of her son, Jesus. Let us together make every sacrifice we can for the building up of the Kingdom.

**Fr. Mitch**

**Stewardship  
 Our Gifts to God and Parish**

We are grateful to you for your presence, your participation, and your financial support of Assumption Parish.

	Mar 20	Jul 1, 15 - Mar 20, 2016
Envelopes (600)	\$ 27,031	\$ 1,068,466
Online Giving	\$ 4,558	\$ 192,616
Loose	\$ 996	\$ 45,129
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 32,585</b>	<b>\$ 1,306,211</b>
		<b>Budget 1,361,911</b>

It takes an average weekly collection of \$36,000 to sustain our parish mission.

*"Every man according as he purposes in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity, for God loves a cheerful giver. 2Cor 9:7"*

## Assumption Youth Ministry - Spring 2016

2016 Important Dates MARK YOUR CALENDAR



**CONCERT & LOCK-IN** - April 29<sup>th</sup> - Come to the amazing Audrey Assad Concert and stay all night and play at Assumption! Just \$20 includes concert, snacks and back by popular demand "Core Team Breakfast Bonanza!"

**MINI MUD CRAZE** - May 7<sup>th</sup> - WE NEED YOU! We will be placing over 60 volunteers. Please sign up and invite everyone you know to help too!

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0e4aaaae28a3fe3-mini>

**CHWC** - June 18-25 - Almost full!!!

**STEUBENVILLE MID AMERICA** - July 8-10 - This could possibly be the best weekend of your life. Don't miss it!!!

**April**

**27** - Xtreme Teen in Hall C. 7-9pm - God is in control. Come on up and see what it takes to give it all to Him!

**29** - Audrey Assad Concert & LOCK-IN

**May**

**4** - Sophia House & North Parking Lot. 7-8:30 - Another amazing hang out night!

**11** - Official FRESHMAN WELCOME!!!! 7-9pm - You DO NOT want to miss this! Wahoo!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

**18** - Bible Study. 7-8:30 - 'nuff said!

**25** - Outdoor Olympics. 7-9pm - Are you ready to rumble?????????

Registration & information about all of the above events available at: [www.assumptionbvm.org/Youth-Ministry/High-School-News-Events](http://www.assumptionbvm.org/Youth-Ministry/High-School-News-Events)

Facebook: Assumption Church Youth Group

Twitter: ACYG Youth Ministry@acygyouth

Instagram: acyg.youthministry

[abvmyouth@gmail.com](mailto:abvmyouth@gmail.com)

**Sacristan Ministry**

*"Sacristans are the host, the server, and the guest, for the banquet of the Eucharistic Celebration, prepared so that our parish community may experience Christ's love and bring Christ to the world."*

The Sacristan Ministry wants to provide an opportunity to all parishioners to partake in this most awesome, spiritually rewarding experience. We would love for you to join us in serving our community, most especially as Sacristan for the 10:00 and Noon Mass and as Sacristan for the Sacrament of Baptism on the second and fourth Sundays of the month.

One-on-One individualized training is provided with documented notes for continued support. For information please call Vicki Briggs at 314.518.4048 or email at [Victoria.j.briggs@charter.net](mailto:Victoria.j.briggs@charter.net)

**Hospital Visitation Ministry**

*"We carry the healing comfort of the Gospel to hospitalized parishioners and their families, praying with and for them, and offering hope through conversation and quiet presence."*

Our **Hospital Visitation Ministry** is in need of your help. If you can help by visiting a parishioner in the hospital on an occasion and bring Holy Communion if the patient desires, please call Joan Thessen at: 636.978.3018.

**On Earth Day, Commit To The Great Turning**

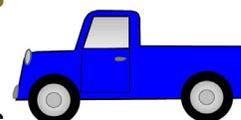
**Creating new systems** that support a life-affirming society, including local

agriculture, reducing meat consumption, switching to renewable energy, creating mass transit systems, watershed protection and restoration, cooperative housing and eco-villages. And, to support the movement toward these visionary goals, it is also necessary to engage in . . .

**Shifting beliefs** away from old concepts of domination, separateness, greed and destruction, and towards new understandings of interconnection, general and living systems theory, deep ecology, cooperation and collaboration.

**Spring Cleaning and SVDP**

**Donation Truck!** Mark your calendars-- June 18/19 our St Vincent De Paul Society will have a truck in Assumption Parking lot again to fill with your donations.



## Proceeds benefit ASSUMPTION YOUTH MINISTRY & WORLD YOUTH DAY 2016



### Challenge yourself to the **1st Annual Mini Mud Craze**

This race is an adventure obstacle course for kids that will test their grit & endurance, all while having the time of their lives getting dirty! Why should parents have all the fun? Awesome obstacles and FOAM!

**Saturday May 7, 2016**

*FOR KIDS AGES 4-14*

Flint Hill Fields

\$35 per person

Includes: race, shirt and medal

If you register by April 24

Goodie bag for the first 100 registered

Sign up as family, team, class - make it a group event

The team with the most participants will get PIZZA!

For all the exciting details go to:

**[www.minimudcraze.com](http://www.minimudcraze.com)**

### SHOES AND HOPE

Shoes and Hope is dedicated to working with communities in developing world to address challenges they face. We, as PSR, Assumption day school, and Assumption Parish, are invited to bring gently used or new shoes to our church now through May 3/4. Drop off your shoes in boxes marked for SHOES AND HOPE located in the pre-function area in the parish center and the Guadalupe Room. Thank you for helping our global world with clean water projects! For more information please contact Derlene at:

[assumptionpsr.derlene@gmail.com](mailto:assumptionpsr.derlene@gmail.com)



### Men's Group Hosts Michael Wellington

Join us on Thursday,

May 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM in the St. Dominic Performing Arts Center to hear Michael Wellington. Michael is a golfer and author of "Birdies, Bogeys & Bipolar Disorder". He will have a raw and entertaining program discussing his college years, career as a professional golfer and his struggles with bipolar disorder. All members are the parish are welcome to join us for this engaging evening. You can find more information on [www.assumption247mensgroup.org](http://www.assumption247mensgroup.org).

### Protecting God's Children—Saturday, May 7th, 8:00am, Hall C



### Spring Choral Concert

The Concert Arts Association invites you to join them for their 44th season of musical excitement on Sunday, April 24th at 3:00pm, as the Choral Arts Singers present their SPRING CONCERT here at Assumption Parish in the CHAPEL. Come and enjoy an afternoon of musical variety we call "The Song and The Dance". Admission is free, but donations are welcome to help the Concert Arts Association continue their efforts of bringing musical enjoyment to our community. Come one, come all, for an afternoon of delightful entertainment. For additional information on the concert or if interested in joining the Choral Arts Singers, contact Bonnie Lang at 636-887-2899.

FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 2016  
**AUDREY  
ASSAD**  
LIVE IN CONCERT

WITH SPECIAL GUEST  
KYLE HUELSING

*Assumption of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary*



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**7PM: ASSUMPTION CHURCH**  
ALL AGES SHOW

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GROUP RESERVATIONS: CALL 636-240-3721 X243  
SPECIAL DISCOUNTS FOR GROUPS OF 15 OR MORE

## January 3-12, 2017 Ten-Day Pilgrimage to the HOLY LAND

\$3,125.00 per person from New York

Round-trip air transportation, superior first class hotels, all three meals and sight-seeing included. Not included, approx. \$700 for airport, departure taxes and fuel surcharge. \$100 for tips for guides, drivers and hotel staff per person.

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## VOLUNTEERS URGENTLY NEEDED

Mary Queen of Angels, a pro-life organization in O'Fallon, is in need of volunteers for our annual "Shower of Love" baby collection in St. Charles County. Mary Queen of Angels has been assigned to collect items at the Schnucks Store in O'Fallon (near Hwy 70 & K) and the Wal-Mart Store in O'Fallon (Hwy. K) on Thursday, April 28th. We need volunteers beginning at 9:00am through 7:00pm (2 hour shifts preferred, however, any time you can give would be most appreciated). High-schoolers are welcome to assist and a generous amount of service hours will be given. Please contact Susan Cooke at (636) 634-7243 or email at "[susan.cooke@protective.com](mailto:susan.cooke@protective.com)" if you can help. Thank so much for all you do to support "Life" in our community.

## May 13th, Cenacle of Prayer for Our Lady of Fatima's Intentions

May 13th, 2016 is the 99th anniversary of the church approved apparition of "Our Lady of Fatima". During the apparitions, Our Lady asked for prayers for peace, penance for the salvation of souls and conversion of sinners. The Marian Movement of Priests has formed cenacles of prayer (Prayer Groups) as Our Lady has asked. During these cenacles, participants pray the rosary for Peace and for Our lady's intentions.



On May 13th, 2016 Immaculate Conception Church of Dardenne, will be holding a morning cenacle of prayer for Our Lady of Fatima's intentions. There will be Mass, the Rosary, cenacle prayers, and the consecration to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. Please join us and Fr. Charles Becker on Friday, May 13, at 10:00am in the church, Immaculate Conception of Dardenne, 7701 Highway N, Dardenne Prairie, MO 63368.

## SPIRITUAL JOURNEY TO FATIMA AND LOURDES INCLUDING BARCELONA.

**OCT 16-25, 2016** Includes daily Mass, tour of Eucharistic Miracle in Santarum, Burgos, Carcassonne, Barcelona, Montserrat, and much more. We travel with Collette. For more information call Beverly Raske 636-485-7979. Also see my facebook page for more info.

### CELEBRATION OF THE MASS

#### Weekend Masses

Saturday 9:00am  
(Motherhouse Chapel)  
Vigil 5:00pm  
Sunday 8:00am  
10:00am  
12:00pm

#### Daily Mass

Weekdays 6:30am  
(Motherhouse Chapel)  
8:00am

### RECONCILIATION

Saturday 4:00-4:45pm

### BAPTISM

2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at 1:15pm. Required Preparation Class. Call 240.3721 to register.

**ST VINCENT DE PAUL**  
636.272.4758 (Helpline)

### CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE

Those preparing for marriage should contact the rectory at least one year in advance. One party must be a registered member of Assumption and living an active, practicing Catholic life. Contact Christine at the Parish Office.

### RITE of CHRISTIAN INITIATION of ADULTS

(RCIA) Process through which adults are initiated into the Catholic Church by Baptism or Profession of Faith. For information Missy Lowrey 314.630.3983.

### PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Religious instruction in the Catholic faith. Call Derlene Hirtz, 636.240.1020 for information or to register.

### CATHOLICS RETURNING HOME

For inactive Catholics returning to Church. For more information call Steve King, 699.9961 or Dee King 734.3437.

### MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION

For one-on-one grief support, contact Kris Bohn at 379.8567, and for information regarding our grief support series, which is held twice per year, contact Lynn Crews at 294.0821.

### OFFICE INFORMATION

403 N Main Street  
O'Fallon MO 63366  
636.240.3721 Parish Office  
636.240.3722 Fax  
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